



DECLARATION FOR PATENT APPLICATION  
WITH POWER OF ATTORNEY

As a below named inventors, we hereby declare that:

Our residence, post office addresses and citizenships are as stated below next to our names.

We believe we are the original, first and joint inventors of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled "USE OF METAL OXIDE SEMICONDUCTORS TO MANIPULATE BIOLOGICAL MOLECULES" (Attorney Ref. No. 0003/00724 CIP), the specification of which

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is attached hereto.

was filed on April 12, 2004

as serial No. 10/823,509

as was amended on \_\_\_\_\_ (if applicable)

We hereby state that we have reviewed and understand the contents of the above-identified specification, including the claims, as amended by any amendment referred to above. We acknowledge the duty to disclose information which is material to the examination of this application in accordance with Title 37, code of Federal Regulations, §1.56 (a).

We hereby claim foreign priority benefits under Title 35, United States Code, §119, of any foreign application(s) for patent or inventor's certificate listed below and have also identified below any foreign applications for patent or inventor's certificate having a filing date before that of the application on which priority is claimed:

Prior Foreign Application(s)			Priority Claimed	
(Number)	(Country)	(Day/Month/Year Filed)	Yes	No
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(Number)	(Country)	(Day/Month/Year Filed)	Yes	No
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We hereby claim the benefit under Title 35, United States Code, §120, of any United States application(s) listed below and, insofar as the subject matter of each of the claims of this application is not disclosed in the prior United States application in the manner provided by the first paragraph of Title 35, United States Code, §112, we acknowledge the duty to disclose material information as defined in title 37, Code of Federal Regulations, §1.56 (a), which occurred between the filing date of the prior application and the national or PCT international filing date of this application:


<u>10/755,045</u>	<u>January 9, 2004</u>	<u>Pending</u>
(App. Ser. No.)	(Filing Date)	Status: (patented, pending, abandoned)
<u>09/606,429</u>	<u>June 28, 2000</u>	<u>Patented</u>
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We hereby declare that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application of any patent issuing thereon.

And we hereby appoint Donald G. Flaynik (Reg. No. 30,836) and Michael J. Cherskov (Reg. No. 33,664), both members of the Bar of the State of Illinois, using the address CHERSKOV & FLAYNIK, The Civic Opera Building, 20 North Wacker Drive, Chicago, IL 60606 (Telephone 312-621-1330), our attorneys with full power of substitution and revocation, to prosecute this application, and to transact all business in the Patent and Trademark Office connected therewith. It is requested that all correspondence should be directed to CHERSKOV & FLAYNIK, The Civic Opera Building, 20 North Wacker Drive, Suite 1447, Chicago, IL 60606.

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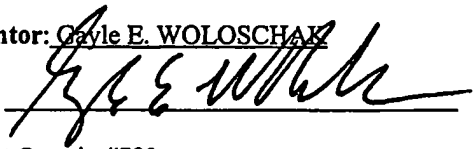
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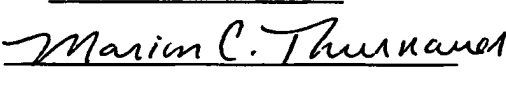
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